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INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING THE
ANTEMORTEM AND POSTMORTEM
INSPECTION SUMMARY



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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

M. I. Form 403, "Antemortem and Postmortem Inspection Summary", is to be prepared by the veterinarian on final postmortem inspection. Two copies are required, both of which should be sent to the office of the recording station. The original copy is for the recording station files and the duplicate copy is to be sent by the recording station with the Daily Record Cards to Washington. An extra copy should be prepared for the establishment if it is requested which shall be in lieu of M. I. Form 406-4, "Statement of Meat Inspection Operations to Official Establishments".

The final inspector should not only summarize on this form the information contained on M. I. Form 403-6, "Report of Final Postmortem Inspection of Retained Carcasses", but also the information recorded on M. I. Form 402-1, "Summary of Antemortem Examination" by the antemortem inspector. Each station should maintain its own record of holdovers.

The diseases and conditions listed on the form are arranged according to the following groupings:

DISEASES AND CONDITIONS CODED

GROUPING

01 to 09	Degenerative and Dropsical Conditions
10 to 29	Infectious Diseases
30 to 39	Inflammatory Diseases
40 to 49	Neoplasms
50 to 59	Parasitic Conditions
60 to 69	Pigmentary Conditions
70 to 79	Septic Conditions
80 to 99	Miscellaneous Conditions

This grouping is not applicable to condemned livers.

Each block on the form in which entries of diseases and conditions are to be made contains a letter.

In the blocks with the letter "R" should be recorded, opposite the appropriate disease or condition, the retention of carcasses on the regular kill; in the blocks with the letter "S" the disposition of suspects; in the blocks with the letter "A" the condemnations on antemortem inspection; in blocks with the letter "C" primal parts passed for cooking and in the blocks with the letter "T" primal parts condemned.

For example, two cattle carcasses on regular kill were passed without restriction on account of actinomycosis but both heads were condemned. On Form 403 on the line for actinomycosis the

figure "2" should be entered in the block "R" under the heading "without restriction". If the two carcasses were suspects instead of being retained on the regular kill the figure "2" should be entered in the block "S" under the heading "without restriction". The two heads should be reported as "2" in the "T" block under "Parts". No breakdown should be made between primal parts of suspects and carcasses retained on regular kill. The combined total should be entered in the blocks under the heading "Parts".

Example 2. One head was condemned and one passed for cooking of two carcasses retained for tuberculosis (non-reactor); in addition, one head was condemned and three heads passed for cooking but tanked for offal by establishment of tuberculosis reactors. On Form 403 the "parts" block for tuberculosis non-reactor and tuberculosis reactor showing lesions are combined. Therefore, the entries should be as follows: the figure "2" should be entered in the "parts" block opposite "T" and 4 in the same block opposite "C".

Entries on this form should record only the disposition made by the final inspector and not the disposition of carcasses and parts later made by the establishment.

Example 3. If M. I. Form 403-6, "Report of Final Postmortem Inspection of Retained Carcas-

ses", showed one suspect released, that is, released to a farmer, etc., but not released for slaughter, one carcass condemned for pyrexia and one for emaciation. On Form 403 at the bottom of the sheet under the heading "Antemortem Only" should be entered the figure 1 in the block opposite "Suspect Released, Code 93" and the figure 1 in the block opposite "Pyrexia Code 95". For the carcass condemned for emaciation the figure 1 should be entered in the block with the letter "A" under the heading "Condemned" on the line for emaciation code 02.

The primary purpose of this form below the heading "Disposition of Retained Carcasses and Parts" is to record the diseases and conditions found rather than the number of animals found with diseases and conditions which caused the retention of animals. Therefore a carcass may be reported more than once.

Example 4. A tuberculosis reactor showing lesions may also have actinomycosis; in this case if the carcass was "passed without restriction" the figure 1 should be entered in the "S" block under actinomycosis and again in the "S" block under tuberculosis reactor showing lesions.

The following diseases and conditions which are not listed on M. 1. Form 403 should be reported with the diseases and conditions indicated

below. If a disease or condition is found that that is not listed below then the veterinarian should use his professional knowledge in placing the finding within the list of coded diseases. This list should in no way influence the veterinarian in the preparation of M. I. Form 403-6 "Report of Final Postmortem Inspection of Retained Carcasses" as he should continue to report diseases and conditions as he finds them.

UNLISTED DISEASE OR CONDITION	REPORT ON M. I. FORM 403 AS	CODE NO.
Adheson	Miscellaneous Inflammatory Conditions	39
Anemia	Emaciation	02
Angioma	Miscellaneous Septic Condition	79
Ankylosis	Bone Condition	82
Ascites	Dropsy	04
Atelectasis	Normal	87

UNLISTED DISEASE OR CONDITION	REPORT ON M. I. FORM 403 AS	CODE NO.
Bursitis	Miscellaneous Inflammatory Conditions	39
Cancer Eye	Epithelioma	41
Cellulitis	Miscellaneous Inflammatory Conditions	39
Cicatrix	Normal	87
Cirrhosis	Miscellaneous Inflammatory Conditions	39
Cryptorchid	Sexual Odor	90
Cryptorchis	Sexual Odor	90
Cystitis	Uremia	92

UNLISTED DISEASE OR CONDITION	REPORT ON M. I. FORM 403 AS	CODE NO.
Defective Bleeding	Asphyxia	81
Delayed Evisceration	Contamination	83
Demodex	Skin Condition	91
Dermatitis	Skin Condition	91
Diamond Skin	Skin Condition	91
Discoloration	Icterus	84
Distoma	Miscellaneous Parasitic Condition	59
Edema	Dropsy	04
Empyema	Abscess Pyemia	70
Erythema	Skin Condition	91
Exotosis	Bone Condition	82

UNLISTED DISEASE OR CONDITION	REPORT ON M. I. FORM 403 AS	CODE NO.
Fracture	Bruises Injuries	86
Fistula	If passed for food under abscess, pyemia	70
	If condemned under septicemia	71
Folliculitis	Miscellaneous Inflammatory Conditions	39
Glomerulitis	Nephritis Pyelitis	34
Glomerulo- nephritis	Nephritis Pyelitis	34
Hematochro- matosis	Miscellaneous Pigmentary Condition	69
Hematoma	Miscellaneous Neoplasms	49

UNLISTED DISEASE OR CONDITION	REPORT ON M. I. FORM 403 AS	CODE NO.
Hemorrhoids	Miscellaneous Septic Conditions	79
Hydraemia	Dropsy	04
Hydrocephalus	Dropsy	04
Hydronephritis	Dropsy	04
Hydronephrosis	Dropsy	04
Hydropic Degeneration	Dropsy	04
Hydrothorax	Dropsy	04
Hyperplasia	Miscellaneous Neoplasm	49
Induration	Miscellaneous Inflammatory Conditions	39
Influenza	Miscellaneous Infectious Condition	29

UNLISTED DISEASE OR CONDITION	REPORT ON M. I. FORM 403 AS	CODE NO.
Keratitis	Miscellaneous Inflammatory Conditions	39
Kidney Worms	Stephanuriasis	52
Kyphosis	Bruises Injuries	86
Lordosis	Bruises Injuries	86
Lymphadenoma	Miscellaneous Neoplasms	49
Lymphoblastoma	Leukemia Pseudoleukemia	42
Lymphocystoma	Leukemia Pseudoleukemia	42
Lymphoma	Leukemia Pseudoleukemia	42
Lymphosarcoma	Sarcoma	43

UNLISTED DISEASE OR CONDITION	REPORT ON M. I. FORM 403 AS	CODE NO.
Melano Sarcoma	Sarcoma	43
Melo Sarcoma	Sarcoma	43
Neo Plasm	Miscellaneous Neoplasms	49
Ochronosis	Miscellaneous Pigmentary Conditions	69
Omphala- phlebitis	Miscellaneous Inflammatory Conditions	39
Orchitis	Miscellaneous Inflammatory Conditions	39
Ostempyesis	Bone Conditions	82
Osteohema- chromatosis	Bone Conditions	82

UNLISTED DISEASE OR CONDITION	REPORT ON M. I. FORM 403 AS	CODE NO.
Osteomyelitis	Bone Conditions	82
Osteitis	Bone Conditions	82
Ostitis	Bone Condition	82
Papilloma	Miscellaneous Neoplasms	49
Pentas- tomiasis	Miscellaneous Parasitic Conditions	59
Periostitis	Bone Conditions	82
Phlebitis	Miscellaneous Inflammatory Conditions	39
Piroplasmosis	Texas Fever	21
Proctitis	Miscellaneous Inflammatory Conditions	39

UNLISTED DISEASE OR CONDITION	REPORT ON M. I. FORM 403 AS	CODE NO.
Pyometra	Metritis	33
Pyelo- nephritis	Nephritis Pyelitis	34
Sapremia	Septicemia	71
Sarcomatosis	Sarcoma	43
Sarcospor- idiosis	Miscellaneous Parasitic Condition	59
Sarcosporidia	Miscellaneous Parasitic Condition	59
Scabies	Skin Condition	91
Scirrhus Cords	If passed for food under abscess, pyemia	70
	If condemned under septicemia	71

UNLISTED DISEASE OR CONDITION	REPORT ON M. I. FORM 403 AS	CODE NO.
Scirrhus	Miscellaneous Neoplasms	49
Scoliosis	Bruises Injuries	86
Sinuitis	Miscellaneous Inflammatory Conditions	39
Splenomegaly	Leukemia Pseudoleukemia	42
Stephanurus Dentatus	Stephanuriasis	52
Sinusitis	Miscellaneous Inflammatory Conditions	39
Stomatitis	Miscellaneous Inflammatory Conditions	39

UNLISTED DISEASE OR CONDITION	REPORT ON M. I. FORM 403 AS	CODE NO.
Tumors	Miscellaneous Neoplasms	49
Urticaria	Skin Conditions	91
Vesicular Exanthema	Miscellaneous Infectious Conditions	29

LIVERS CONDEMNED

Actinomycosis	Miscellaneous	78
Congestion	Miscellaneous	78
Gallstones	Miscellaneous	78
Stepha- nuriasis	Other Parasitic Conditions	68



